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Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
P. O. Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE: **Hosston Formation, Reservoir B**  
**Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B**  
**Woodardville Field**  
**Bienville Parish, Louisiana**

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Dear Sir:

Will-Drill Production Co., Inc. hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize Will-Drill Production Co., Inc. to drill, designate and utilize one alternate unit well on each of HOSS RB SUD and CV RB SUD at the locations shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof;
2. To determine there is the need for an alternate unit well on each of these units to efficiently and effectively recover hydrocarbons underlying the units that cannot otherwise be recovered by existing wells;
3. To authorize the unit allowable for these units to be recovered from the existing unit wells, the proposed alternate unit wells, or from any combination thereof, at the discretion of the operator; and
4. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

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The Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-C, effective February 1, 2006; and was further defined by Office of Conservation Order No. 990-C-8, effective January 9, 2007.

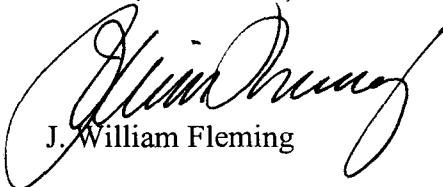
The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B, effective September 13, 2005; and was redefined as to specific units in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B-10, effective January 9, 2007.

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained, at the cost of the requesting party, from Mr. Daryl Fultz, Will-Drill Production Co. Inc., 416 Travis Street, Suite 1200, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101, telephone number (318) 222-7464.

The list of parties which is attached to the copies of this letter being mailed to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to Applicant after a diligent search. A copy of this application, with plat attached, is being sent to each party on the list. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, the list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person requesting a copy of it. Also enclosed with the copy of this letter being mailed to the Commissioner of Conservation is a check for the fee required for this application.

Yours very truly,

COOK, YANCEY, KING & GALLOWAY



J. William Fleming

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Enclosures

cc: James C. Broussard, District Manager  
Interested Owners, Represented  
Parties and Interested Parties  
Mr. Currie Smith  
Mr. Daryl Fultz  
Mr. Craig Barclay

